## COOPERATIVE EDUCATION PROGRAM

Exchange of notes at Panama November 13 and 14, 1944 Entered into force November 14, 1944

Extended and supplemented by agreements of September 23 and 24, 1948; 1 July 23 and September 2, 1949; 2 September 22 and October 10, 1950; 3 August 10 and October 23, 1951; 4 February 29 and April 9, 1952; 5 and March 24 and April 30, 1955 6 Expired June 30, 1960

59 Stat. 1871; Executive Agreement Series 504

The American Ambassador to the Minister of Foreign Affairs

EMBASSY OF THE United States of America

No. 94

Panamá, November 13, 1944

## EXCELLENCY:

I have the honor to refer to Resolution No. XXVIII adopted by the Conference of Ministers and Directors of Education of the American Republics held at Panamá in September and October, 1943.

Under the authority of that Resolution a series of conversations has been held recently between a representative of the Embassy, accompanied by visiting officials of the United States Government, and the Minister of Education of Panama and his advisers relative to the consideration of certain proposed educational activities to be undertaken jointly by our two Governments.

I am pleased to inform Your Excellency that my Government is prepared to collaborate with the Government of Panama in a cooperative educational program in the event that the Government of Panama is disposed to indicate its interest in such a program. If Your Excellency will be so good as to confirm your approval of this general proposal, it will be understood that the details of the program will be the subject of further discussions and agreements between the Ministry of Education, acting in behalf of the Government of the Republic of Panama, and a representative of the Inter-American

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> TIAS 2148, post, p. 843.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> TIAS 2149, post, p. 881. <sup>3</sup> 2 UST 820; TIAS 2234.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup>2 UST 2535; TIAS 2372. <sup>5</sup>5 UST 336; TIAS 2925.

<sup>6 6</sup> UST 3929; TIAS 3399.

Educational Foundation, Inc., acting in behalf of the Government of the United States of America.

Accept, Excellency, the renewed assurances of my highest consideration.

AVRA M. WARREN

His Excellency

Señor Don Samuel Lewis, Jr., Minister for Foreign Affairs.

The Minister of Foreign Affairs to the American Ambassador

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MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS
Diplomatic Section

D.P. 1599

Panamá, November 14, 1944

## Mr. Ambassador:

I have the honor to refer to Your Excellency's courteous note No. 94 of the 13<sup>th</sup> of this month in which you are so good as to inform me that the illustrious Government of the United States has manifested a desire to collaborate with the Government of Panama in a cooperative program in matters of education, and in which you request to be informed whether my Government would be disposed to approve a program based on the conversations which took place between representatives of the Government of the United States and representatives of the Ministry of Education of Panama.

It is with particular pleasure that I inform Your Excellency that my Government is happy to accept the collaboration offered it by Your Excellency's illustrious Government.

The Ministry of Education, to which this offer has been communicated, is prepared to initiate immediately conversations for arranging the cooperative program which is in project.

The Minister of Education has requested me to convey to the Government of the United States, through Your Excellency's good offices, his deepest gratitude for the highly esteemed cooperation which is offered us.

I avail myself of this opportunity to renew to Your Excellency the assurances of my highest and most distinguished consideration.

S. Lewis
Samuel Lewis
Minister for Foreign Affairs

His Excellency

AVRA M. WARREN,

Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America, City.